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GROUNDBREAKING SET FOR PALOMAR PLANE PARKING LOT *Airport Ceremony Also Marks Start of Stormwater Detention Basin Project*

Supervisor Bill Horn, Carlsbad Mayor Bud Lewis and County officials mark the beginning of a \$6.7 million project to build a new aircraft parking area and stormwater detention basin at McClellan-Palomar Airport with groundbreaking ceremonies Nov. 18 at 10 a.m.

The project includes construction of a general aviation parking apron to accommodate over 130 locally based aircraft, a partial parallel taxiway approximately 3,400 feet long and an underground detention basin to enhance airport safety and the quality of stormwater runoff.

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***Editor's note:** While this is not a public event, you are invited to attend. Meet at the airport's terminal area at 9:30 a.m. and a shuttle bus will transport you to the ceremony site.*